



**United States Department of Agriculture
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Arkansas Crop Progress and Condition Report**



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Week Ending July 2, 2017

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Arkansas, there were 4.8 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, July 2, 2017**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 5 percent very short, 4 percent short, 77 percent adequate, and 14 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 6 percent very short, 9 percent short, 71 percent adequate, and 14 percent surplus. Low temperatures ranged from 57.4 degrees Fahrenheit at Kingston to 70.3 degrees Fahrenheit at Stuttgart. Highs ranged from 79.1 degrees Fahrenheit at Kingston to 93.2 degrees Fahrenheit at Crossett. Light precipitation was received throughout the state, with the highest concentration occurring in the west central part of the state with an average of 1.44 inches.

Crop progress for week ending July 2, 2017

Crop	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
Corn, silked	90	85	94	90
Corn, dough	38	14	30	33
Corn, dent	5	NA	NA	NA
Cotton, squaring	93	85	94	91
Cotton, setting bolls	27	10	23	17
Peanuts, pegging	36	15	53	NA
Rice, headed	4	1	5	7
Sorghum, headed	27	10	36	38
Soybeans, planted	99	98	99	96
Soybeans, emerged	97	94	97	92
Soybeans, blooming	69	60	61	46
Soybeans, setting pods	34	15	13	14
Winter Wheat, harvested	99	98	99	95

Crop condition for week ending July 2, 2017

Item	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
Corn	1	3	15	60	21
Cotton	0	5	14	52	29
Hay, alfalfa	0	9	75	15	1
Hay, other	2	6	29	52	11
Livestock	0	2	24	60	14
Pasture	2	9	26	44	19
Peanuts	0	1	20	46	33
Rice	1	5	28	50	16
Sorghum	0	1	40	54	5
Soybeans	2	5	23	56	14

NA = Not Available.

Comments from Cooperative Extension Service County Agents

“Pastures were being bush hogged. Producers continued to cut and bale hay. Also, some producers sprayed pastures for weeds and brush.”

-Mark Keaton, Baxter County

“Soybeans received herbicide applications. Rice received mid-season nitrogen. Some rice fields received pre-flood nitrogen and were flooded. Peanut fields received herbicide applications. Corn irrigation also occurred. A few producers baled hay between rains.”

-Mike Andrews, Randolph County

“Cattle farmers sprayed weeds and brush. A few watermelons were harvested for the 4th of July market. Hay harvest continued.”

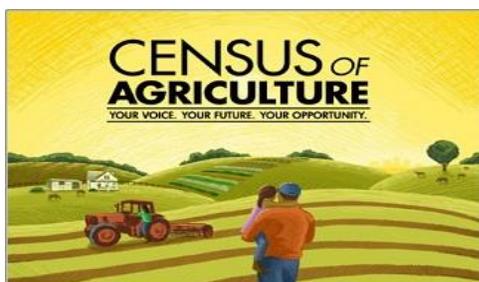
-J. Joe Moore, Sharp County

“Multiple soybean fields were spotted with dicamba drift in a few areas within the county and neighboring counties.”

-Ernest Bradley, Lee County

“Soybean planting wrapped up. Corn was in dough stage. Early rice began to head. Hay was being cut and baled. Rainfall amounts varied across the county.”

-Brent Griffin, Prairie County



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Arkansas Weather Summary for Week Ending July 2, 2017

Division/Station	Air Temperature					Precipitation				
	Max	Min	Avg	Norm	DFN	One Week	Rain Days	DFN	Four Weeks	Four Weeks DFN
Northwest										
Kingston	79.1	57.4	68.3	75.3	-7.0	1.34	1	NA	4.77	NA
Lead Hill	82.2	62.0	72.1	75.2	-3.2	0.97	2	0.20	2.81	-0.78
Winslow	80.0	65.0	72.5	NA	NA	1.52	3	NA	5.39	NA
Extreme/Average	80.4	61.5	71.0	75.2	-5.1	1.28	3	0.20	4.32	-0.78
North Central										
Calico Rock	81.9	61.6	71.7	75.8	-4.1	0.85	1	0.04	2.69	-0.63
Evening Shade	83.7	63.7	73.7	78.8	-5.0	0.55	1	-0.10	2.83	-0.08
Gilbert	83.7	63.6	73.6	77.3	-3.7	1.51	1	0.75	2.93	-0.62
Mammoth Spring	84.4	63.0	73.7	76.3	-2.6	0.47	2	-0.29	2.17	-1.03
Mountain Home	83.6	63.9	73.7	77.7	-4.0	0.75	1	-0.15	3.51	0.09
Mountain View	84.1	65.0	74.6	78.4	-3.9	0.42	2	-0.32	4.68	1.25
Extreme/Average	83.6	63.5	73.5	77.4	-3.9	0.76	2	-0.01	3.13	-0.17
Northeast										
Corning	84.6	66.3	75.4	80.1	-4.7	2.15	3	1.42	3.69	0.71
Jonesboro	85.1	66.6	75.9	79.4	-3.5	0.18	2	-0.56	1.34	-1.48
Keiser	85.0	65.5	75.3	81.7	-6.3	0.08	1	-0.37	1.98	-1.26
Newport	85.0	68.4	76.7	80.4	-3.7	0.02	1	-0.77	2.39	-0.84
Pocahontas	85.4	65.1	75.3	78.5	-3.2	0.95	2	0.25	4.41	1.57
Searcy	88.0	68.4	78.2	80.3	-2.1	0.41	1	-0.27	6.12	3.56
Extreme/Average	85.5	66.7	76.1	80.1	-3.9	0.63	3	-0.05	3.32	0.38
West Central										
Booneville	86.3	65.9	76.1	78.9	-2.8	1.55	1	0.72	5.43	1.67
Dardanelle	86.5	66.0	76.3	80.1	-3.9	1.20	1	NA	4.08	NA
Mena	85.9	66.6	76.2	77.0	-0.8	1.00	3	-0.03	3.22	-0.83
Subiaco	89.7	68.0	78.8	79.4	-0.6	2.09	1	1.36	3.63	-0.02
Waldron	86.7	65.1	75.9	78.1	-2.1	1.36	1	0.42	2.92	-1.43
Extreme/Average	87.0	66.3	76.7	78.7	-2.1	1.44	3	0.62	3.86	-0.15
Central										
Alum Fork	83.7	65.0	74.4	78.1	-3.7	0.49	3	-0.41	4.70	0.67
Cabot	87.3	65.7	76.5	79.8	-3.3	0.33	3	-0.44	4.27	1.18
Conway	87.9	66.9	77.4	79.4	-2.1	0.63	2	-0.16	5.35	1.95
Hot Springs	86.0	69.5	77.8	80.2	-2.4	0.01	1	-0.77	2.38	-1.46
Morrilton	87.1	66.1	76.6	79.2	-2.6	0.62	1	-0.22	3.57	0.80
Extreme/Average	86.4	66.6	76.5	79.3	-2.8	0.42	3	-0.40	4.05	0.63
East Central										
Brinkley	NA	NA	NA	80.4	NA	NA	NA	NA	2.75	0.40
Des Arc	87.3	69.0	78.1	81.3	-3.1	0.16	1	-0.49	2.73	-0.07
Keo	85.1	68.1	76.6	80.6	-3.9	0.54	2	-0.28	3.68	1.05
Stuttgart	85.3	70.3	77.8	81.1	-3.3	0.43	1	-0.35	7.01	3.91
West Memphis	86.0	69.3	77.6	81.0	-3.3	0.50	1	-0.31	2.70	-0.43
Extreme/Average	85.9	69.2	77.6	80.9	-3.4	0.41	2	-0.36	3.77	0.97
Southwest										
Ashdown	87.7	67.9	77.8	NA	NA	2.73	2	1.83	4.58	0.75
Dequeen	85.9	67.9	76.9	79.2	-2.4	0.86	2	-0.17	2.89	-1.45
Hope	85.4	62.6	74.0	79.9	-5.8	0.09	1	-0.60	1.97	-1.98
Murfreesboro	85.0	65.8	75.4	77.3	-2.0	0.53	2	-0.29	2.14	-1.24
Nashville	87.7	67.4	77.6	80.9	-3.3	0.69	2	-0.31	2.07	-2.07
Extreme/Average	86.3	66.3	76.3	79.3	-3.4	0.98	2	0.09	2.73	-1.20
South Central										
Camden	87.8	67.4	77.6	80.4	-2.8	0.60	1	-0.08	4.05	0.63
Fordyce	86.2	65.8	76.0	78.6	-2.6	0.37	2	-0.34	3.75	-0.16
Magnolia	86.2	64.8	75.5	79.8	-4.3	2.00	1	1.43	3.18	0.80
Prescott	NA	NA	NA	78.9	NA	NA	NA	NA	3.46	0.41
Sparkman	83.7	66.1	74.9	79.6	-4.6	0.29	2	-0.72	5.72	1.85
Extreme/Average	86.0	66.0	76.0	79.4	-3.6	0.82	2	0.07	4.03	0.71
Southeast										
Crossett	93.2	70.0	81.4	79.5	1.9	1.45	1	0.57	7.00	5.40
Eudora	89.0	67.5	78.3	82.5	-4.2	0.00	0	-0.55	3.38	0.49
Pine Bluff	86.8	68.3	77.6	81.1	-3.5	0.68	2	-0.01	8.37	5.47
Portland	86.1	68.9	77.5	80.8	-3.3	0.54	2	-0.37	5.08	1.52
Rohwer	85.3	68.7	77.0	81.5	-4.5	0.28	2	-0.43	4.01	0.89
Extreme/Average	88.1	68.7	78.4	81.1	-2.7	0.59	2	-0.16	5.57	2.75
State	85.5	66.2	75.9	79.1	-3.4	0.81	2	0.01	3.82	0.35

DFN = Departure from Normal.

Normal= Averaged Collected Data from the Years 1981-2010.

NA = Not Available.